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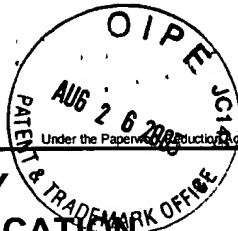
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See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

1. ☒ Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)
(Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing)
2. ☐ Applicant claims small entity status
See 37 CFR 1.27
3. ☒ Specification [Total Pages 154]
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
 - Descriptive title of the Invention
 - Cross References to Related Applications
 - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R&D
 - Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
 - Background of the Invention
 - Brief Summary of the Invention
 - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
 - Detailed Description
 - Claim(s)
 - Abstract of the Disclosure
4. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) Total sheets 55
5. ☒ Oath or Declaration [Total pages 2]
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 - b. ☒ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR §1.63(d))
(for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)
 - i. ☐ DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)
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- 6.. ☒ Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

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Title

Aldosterone blocker therapy to prevent or treat inflammation-related disorders

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ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

9. ☐ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
10. ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement ☒ Power of Attorney
(when there is an assignee)
11. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)
12. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 ☐ Copies of IDS Citations
13. ☐ Preliminary Amendment
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☒ Continuation ☐ Divisional ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No: 09/ 916,136

Prior application information: Examiner Wang, Shengjun Group/Art Unit: 1617

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